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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Holger Weiss  
Serial No.: 09/868,416  
Filed: October 15, 2001  
For: Method And Reactor For Decontaminating Groundwater  
Examiner: Upton, Christopher  
Group Art Unit: 1724  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22312-1450  
Dear Sir:

The undersigned attorney petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a reply to the Office Action of February 20, 2003 for three months from May 20, 2003 to August 20, 2003. The small entity extension fee of \$465 and any deficiency in fees associated with this petition may be charged to Goodwin Procter LLP Deposit Account 06-0923.

Respectfully submitted,

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